

House Resolution No. 1381

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize the Spirit of St. Louis Marathon & Family Fitness Weekend, which will be held April 2-4, 2004, in St. Louis, Missouri; and

Whereas, the Spirit of St. Louis Marathon & Family Fitness Weekend seeks to advance community wellness by organizing a family fitness weekend that promotes health and fitness opportunities for people of all ages and abilities; and

Whereas, the Spirit of St. Louis Marathon & Family Fitness Weekend will showcase and celebrate St. Louis' history, cultural attractions, and its spirited neighborhoods; and

Whereas, the Spirit of St. Louis Marathon & Family Fitness Weekend will also provide America's "Leading Ladies of Long Distance Running" a perfect venue to qualify three women to fulfill their dreams of competing in the 2004 Olympic Games in Athens, Greece; and

Whereas, the Spirit of St. Louis Marathon & Family Fitness Weekend is a nonprofit organization designed to encourage all individuals to engage in one of the many fitness events offered during the three days of festivities; and

Whereas, special words of commendation go out to the members of the Spirit of St. Louis Marathon & Family Fitness Weekend Board of Directors who include Robert Denlow, John Doerr, Christopher Erblich, Tom Eckelman, Paul Gallant, Gerard Hempstead, Jay Indovino, Tom Irwin, Andy Kohn, Gary Krosch, Nancy Lieberman, Judy Malpiedi, Laura McTearnan, Christopher Miget, Vic Richey, Rick Sullivan, Ben Uchitelle, and Frank Viverito:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and best wishes to all those dedicated individuals affiliated with the Spirit of St. Louis Marathon & Family Fitness Weekend at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation during the Spirit of St. Louis Marathon & Family Fitness Weekend.

Offered by _____
Representative Russ Carnahan
District No. 59

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1381, adopted April 1, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker